



# CALIFORNIA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

## MAY 2004 AGENDA

<b>SUBJECT</b>  Seminar on State Assessment and Accountability Programs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Action</b>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Information</b>
	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Public Hearing</b>

### RECOMMENDATION

The item is submitted for information only.

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### SUMMARY OF PREVIOUS STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION DISCUSSION AND ACTION

At the March 2004 meeting, the State Board of Education (SBE) requested a seminar on the state's assessment programs. The information attached will provide background information on the California assessment system that is available to the public at the California Department of Education's website.

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### SUMMARY OF KEY ISSUES

Topics for the seminar on state assessment programs will include features of the following testing programs:

- The Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Program
- The California High School Exit Examination (CAHSEE)
- Academic Performance Index (API)
- Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)
- The California English Language Development Test (CELDT)
  - Annual Measurable Achievement Objectives

In the attachments provided to SBE, there are a number of documents including a chart listing all of the testing programs in the Standards and Assessment Division. All of the attachments are provided for background information.

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### FISCAL ANALYSIS (AS APPROPRIATE)

This is an information item and does not have a fiscal impact.

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### ATTACHMENT

Attached are initial materials to provide important background information:

Attachment 1: California Assessment System 2003-2004 (1 Page)

<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sa/documents/cas032504.pdf>

- Attachment 2: Introduction to the Three-year Plan for the Development of California's Assessment System (10 Pages)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sa/documents/threeyear32102.pdf>
- Attachment 3: Approved Testing Dates for State Assessments 2003-2004 (2 Pages)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sa/testdates.asp>
- Attachment 4: STAR 2004 Guide for Parent / Guardians (4 Pages)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/documents/parent04.doc>
- Attachment 5: 2004 California Standards Tests (CSTs) (1 Page)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/documents/cstcharts.pdf>
- Attachment 6: 2004 California Achievement tests, Sixth Edition Survey (CAT/6 Survey) (1 Page)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/documents/cat6charts.pdf>
- Attachment 7: 2004 California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA) (1 Page)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/documents/capacharts.pdf>
- Attachment 8: 2004 Spanish Assessment of Basic Education, Second Edition (SABE/2) (1Page)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/documents/sabe2charts.pdf>
- Attachment 9: Questions and Answers for Administrators about the Postponement of the CAHSEE Requirement (3 Pages)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/hs/documents/ud071603qanda.pdf>
- Attachment 10: Facts about the California High School Exit Examination (CAHSEE) (2 Pages-Pages 6 and 7 of the larger document on the attached link)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/hs/documents/pkt04schoolind.pdf>
- Attachment 11: Questions and Answers about the CELDT (2 Pages-Pages 3 and 4 of the larger document on the attached link)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/el/documents/mediapkt304.pdf>
- Attachment 12: 2003 Academic Performance Index (5 Pages-Pages 18 through 22 of the larger document on the attached link)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ap/documents/infoguide03b.pdf>
- Attachment 13: California Alternate Performance Assessment Participation Criteria (1 Page)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/se/sr/documents/partcrtra.pdf>
- Attachment 14: 2003 Adequate Yearly Progress Phase 1 Report Information Supplement (2 Pages-Pages 35 and 36 of the larger document on the attached link)  
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay/documents/infosup03p1.pdf>
- The presentation materials for the May 2004 SBE meeting will be submitted as a Last Minute Memorandum.